

As a psychologist
and a citizen of
this country I am
appalled at the
disregard for the
principles of
democracy that would
permit Sinclair's
use of a piece of
political propaganda
on the public
airwaves as "news"
right before a major
election.

Sinclair uses the
public airwaves free
of charge, and is
obligated by law to
serve the public
interest. This is an
obvious attempt to
pervert this process
of a biased
political agenda and
serves as a warning
to all of us about
the fragility of a
free press in a
world where media
and corporate
interests are being
constantly
consolidated.

Sinclair's actions
show why we need to
strengthen media
ownership rules, not
weaken them. They
show why the license
renewal process
needs to involve
more than a returned
postcard. Thank you.